## THE BARD'S BATTLE ROYAL.

A SPLENDID VICTORY OVER HANOVER.

THE BROOKLYN HANDICAP FALLS TO THE BEST HORSE.

the sun had shone yesterday morning a host would have equalled the famous multitude at the Suburban last year would have poured into the gates of the Brooklyn Jockey Club. But if the day had been clear and fine the transportation routes would have been overwhelmed and blockaded beyond As it was many unfortunate delays erred, although the heavy rains of the foreno thousands of people from the track. But it sion of the club to race in spite of weather, and the afternoon trains were heavily laden until when the great race of the day, the Brooklyn Handicap, was reached, the army of eager ors was a big one.

Nearly all the well-known racing men of the country were on the grounds, although some Western ewners were looking after their interests at Louisville. The Chicago faro-bank keepers, who have just won a big stake in the West, after some queer ork with their colt, were not at Brooklyn, and it was well for them that they were not. Their wises course would be to stay away from the Atlantic Coast all the season, or some awkward questions may be asked them. In fact, no decent jockey club can afford to accept an entry from them until the ghastly in-and-out, running of their three-year-old colt is explained. To do anything of the sort would be simply to invite the invective and contempt of

Among the groups in the club-house, grand stand and quarter-stretch were Leonard W. Jerome, bowed with the weight of years, but still foremost in the ight for honest racing; the keen-eyed Dwyer Brothers, always on the alert; the generous and fair-minded Master of Preakness; courteous Colonel Simmons, Louisiana's leading turiman; James G. K. Lawrence. all whose waking hours are full of plans for promoting the prosperity of the Coney Island Jockey Club; Captain Coster, whose zeal for the interests of Monmouth Park never flags; H. D. McIntyre, whose work as secretary and handicapper of the Brooklyn Jockey Club has won enthusiastic praise on all sides; B. A. Haggin, e powerful stable is at Jerome Park almost ready for brilliant triumphs; sage old Green Morris, to whom racing secrets are an open book; A. L. Welcot, forof California, whose colors may be seen on the turf again this year; Pierre Lorillard, jr., who has inerited the racing glories of Rancocas; Oden Bowle, jr., and Frank Carroll, gallantly upholding the honor of Maryland, my Maryland; Major Robertson, whose adament of the relative merits of horses is rarely at fault; ex-Judge Frederick G. Gedney and George W. Carr, who have turned aside for a few hours from profound study of legal lore to discuss the pedigrees and achievements of thoroughbreds; Julius Chambers, S. D. Bruce, Hamilton Busbey, E. Berry Wall, and many more worthy of mention.

A. J. Cassatt, owner of The Bard, was in Paris, but Mr. Jerome telegraphed to him promptly the result of the Brooklyn Handicap. D. D. Withers, who rarely misses a great race in the East, was absent for

It was the opening of legitimate racing on the Atlantic Coast, and superbly successful it was. The hero of the day was The Bard, who won the Brooklyn Handicap in a style that proved his complete recovery of all his speed and power of a year ago. This seems redible after so long, so serious and so exhausting an illness as he suffered from for months after the July 1887. But his race left no doubt on that poin If the racing writer of The Tribune had thought this possible, he never would have preferred Hanover to The Bard as the winner of the Brooklyn. The race resulted as was predicted in this column yesterday in a fight at the finish between these two alone, and a magnificent struggle it was. Hanover was Hanover again, and he strove mightily. But The Bard was the better and prevailed. Indeed, it was clear to the careful observer half a mile from the end that, barring accidents, The Bard must win, for he then moved up to Hanover's head with sumptuous and imperial easand McLaughlin was whipping hard down the lower Stoutly and gamely the noble chestnut son of Hindoo toiled and strained to keep pace with the resistless and royal son of Longfellow. But it was a hopeless task, and coming away at the close The Bard won somewhat easily, although ridden out. Grotesque efforts have been made in certain quar-

ters to underrate the merits of The Bard and cast con-tempt upon him. Why? The Bard is honest, game fair-dealing, modest, unpretentious, business-like, with no flourishes, nothing specious, hollow or counterfeit about him. Why should any one libel and slander him and try to excite hostility to him? He is a conscientious, upright and virtuous animal, if there ever as one, and he is a genuine racehorse of high class. Why throw mud at him?

Sad indeed were the whimsical guessers, blind dreamers of dreams, chewers of moonshine and gulpers of the east wind who fed themselves with fond hopes that such horses as Saxony, Orin lante, Exile and Kaloolah could defeat two such champions as The Bard and Hanover. These wellmeaning but inefficient quadrupeds were scattered like

champions as The Bard and Hanover. These wellmeaning but inefficient quadrupeds were scattered like
chaff by the two emperors of the turf. It was said
that Saxony spilt a hoof. But if Saxony had had a
thousand sound, unspilt hoofs and every hoof a Saxony, he could not have beaten The Bard or Hanover.
Does any owner in America desire to match his best
horse against The Bard!
Hayward's riding was masterly—a remarkable display of the highest and best jockeyship. He knows
The Bard to the tip of his tail and The Bard knows
the Bard to the tip of his tail and The Bard knows
him. They are a great pair.

It was rumored on the track that a horse called
Grover Cleveland, with a stupendous amplitude of
belly, an awkward and waddling gait and a profound
bellef in luck, a horse of thinite promise and insignificant performance, an animal who was in the habit of
entertaining his trainer with long lectures on the
responsibilities of public position, started in the Brooklyn Handleap, but as nothing bearing that name was
false. And yet some thousands of spectators got an
impression that such a horse was in the lot when the
flag fell at the start. As he faded from view altogether
while the race was going on, cynical observers remarked with shoulish glee that Grover Cleveland had
stopped in the backstretch to study the relations of the
Democratic party to Civil Service Reform, become bewildered and lost his way. If any such animal is discovered in the Custom House looking over Collector
Magone's Civil Service record, he should be sent by express to Gravesend, where his owner would like to uso
him for his spring ploughing.

America's favorite jockey McLaughlin won the
first race with Brittanic and the Expectation Stakes
with Oregon. His rival of last year did not have a
mount. McLaughlin's skill gained Oregon's victory.
He was off in front with wonderful quickness; after
the first quarter-mile he eased his colt and then
called on him in the last furlong, beating the favoritos, Capitaln Brown colors would have be

FIRST RACE-PURSE, \$600. FIVE FURLONGS. FIRST RACE—PURSE, \$600. FIVE FURLONGS.
A 4 A. H. Morris's blk. c. Britannic, by Flevna—
Faithless, 4 years, 118 m. (McLaughilin)
Billings's br. g. Duke of Bourbon, 4, 115, (Church)
degmont Stable's b. c. Juggler, 3, 106, (Palmer)
McDonaid's b. c. Andy Mac, 4, 118, (Hornsey)
Vestern Union Stable's ch. m. Calera, 5, 116 (Stone)
I. N. Nolan's b. f. Clay Stockton, 3, 101 (Rafferty)
E. McDonaid's ch. c. Jim Rees, 3, 106 (Littlefield)
H. Ryan's b. g. Freedom, 4, 115 (Brennan)

Time-1:05. Betting to win-Britannic even. Duke of Bourbon 2 to 1, reedem 10 to 1, Jim Rees 10 to 1, Clay Stockton 20 to 1, Juggler 25 to 1, Calera 30 to 1, Andy Mac 40 to 1. -Britannic none, Duke of Bourbon 3 to 5, Freedom 3 to 1, Jim Rees 3 to 1, Clay Stockton 6 to 1, Juggler 7 to 1.

Freedom #18, field #15. Mutuals paid \$10.35.
Cyclops, Sam Harper, jr., Portland, Kingston, and
Theora were withdrawn. Duke of Bourbon spoiled four
starts by running off in front; Andy Mac two, by refusing

starts by running oil in front: Andy Mac two, by refusing to break. When the flag was given after a delay of twenty minutes McLaughlin had his mount in the lead. as usual. Duke of Bourbon ran through and led around the turn and into the homestretch. Here McLaughlin moved up, taking the middle of the course, and Britannia, coming on in an easy gallop, wen as he pleased by two lengths, Duke of Bourbon second, under the whip, six lengths before Juggler, third. SECOND RACE-HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKES-025

SECOND RACE-HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKES-\$25

EACH, \$750 ADDED. 1 1-16 MILES.

W. Gratz's b. c. Dry Monopole, by Glenele Peru. 5

yrs. 116 B

Dwygr Brothers' b. f. Bessle June. 4 112, (car.
110)
Castle Siable's b. g. Argo. 5, 105 (McLaughlin) 2

Castle Siable's b. g. Longlight, 5, 100 (Griffith) 0

E. J. Baldwin's ch. g. Laredo. 4, 108 (Armstrong)
Auburndale Stable's ch. c. Harry Fields, 3, 90 (car. 92)

Time-1:56 1-4.

Bestle Long and Dry Monopole 6 to 5. Bessle June 2 to 1

Betting to win-Dry Menopole 0 to 5, Bessie June 3 to 1, Laredo 5 to 1, Argo 8 to 1, Longlight 20 to 1, Harry Fields 20 to 1. Place-Monopole 1 to 2, Bessie June even, Laredo 8 to 5, Argo 3 to 1, Longlight 8 to 1, Harry

Fields 8 to 1.

Auction pools—Monopole \$25, Bessie June \$15, field \$25. Mutuals paid \$10 65.

Defaulter and Alaric were withdrawn. Start fair. Bessie June leading by a neck, Argo second, Menopole third. Argo took the lead on the upper turn, and held it on sufferance until hair round the lower turn, Monopole and Bessie June waiting on each other. Entering the homestretch, Monopole had things all his own way. Bessie June was under the whip, and the others were

failing out. Monopole came home the easiest of winners, beating Beasie June four lengths. Argo was two lengths ind the filly. THIRD RAUE-EXPECTATION STAKES-TWO. YEAR-OLDS. \$50 EACH, \$1,500 ADDED. HALF

MILE.

Dwyer Erothers' ch. c. Oregon, by Onendaga-SkyRight, 115 m (car. 116)

S. S. Brown's b. c. Buddhist, 115 . (Church)

S. S. Brown's b. c. by Lisben-Minnie Brown, 115 (Donehue)

A. Belmont's ch. g. Carnot, 112 . (Godirey)

A. J. Cassatt's b. c. Yerons, 115 . (Heyward)

A. J. Cassatt's b. c. The Tartar, 115 . (Heyward)

B. Kaha's br. c. Sandy, 115 . (Stone) MILE. A. Belmont's ch. g. Carnot, 112.

Auburndale Stable's b. c. Verona, 115.

A. J. Cassatt's b. c. The Tartar, 115.

B. Kahn's br. c. Sandy, 115.

Time—0:51.

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Betting to win—Oregon 8 to 5. Buddhist 2 to 1, Lisbon-Minnie Brown colt 5 to 1, The Tartar 6 to 1, Carnot 8 to 1, Verena 10 to 1, Sandy 20 to 1. Place—Oregon 3 to 5. Buddhist 3 to 5, Lisbon colt 7 to 5, The Tartar 3 to 1, Carnot 3 to 1, Verena 6 to 1, Sandy 6 to 1.

Auction poels—Brown's pair \$25, Oregon \$20, field \$18. Mutuals paid \$19 60.

Sin, Gipsy Queen and Servia were withdrawn. Mc-Laughlin had the race won at the fall of the dag, getting well away with Oregon, then taking him in hand, settling

well away with Oregon, then taking him in hand, settling him down to his work and letting the others run their iegs off to overhaul him. Carnot showed a fine turn of ed near the quarter, but fell back in the homestretch. The Brown pair raced together, but were not sufficiently well ridden to defeat Oregon, who won cleverly by two lengths, Bud intersecond, three lengths fefore the Lisbon-Minnie Brown celt.

FOURTH RACE-BROOKLYN JOCKEY CLUB HANDI-CAP. \$100 EACH, \$5,000 ADDED. 11-4 MILES.

A. J. Cassatt's b. h. The Bard, by Long fellow—Bradamante, 5 years, 125 m.

Dwyer Brotners ch. c. Hanovor, 4, 125. (McLaughin)
W. Grat's b. c. Fencion, 4, 113. (Murbay)
E. J. Baidwin's b. h. Volante, 6, 116. (Murbay)
G. B. Morris's b. h. Faver, 6, 116. (Murbay)
A. Beimont's gr. c. Orifismic, 4, 107. (Godfiey)
Summit Stabet's ch. g. Koyai Atch, 3ged, 106.
M. Storn's ch. c. Groves Cleveland, 5. M. Storn's ch. c. Grover Cleveland, 5 105 (car. 106) B. Kahn's blk. h. Saxony, 5, 115 J. D. Morriscey's b. m. Kaloolah, 5, 115 (Holloway)

Time-2:13. Betting to win-Hanover 2 to 1, The Bard 7 to 2, Oriflamme 5 to 1, Velante 6 to 1, Saxony 6 to 1, Extle 8 to 1, Favor 10 to 1, Kaloolah 12 to 1, Grover Cleveland 20 to 1, Royal Ar.) 25 to 1, Fencion 40 to 1. Place— Hanover 3 to 5, The Bard 6 to 5, Orifiamme 8 to 5, Volante 3 to 1, Saxony 3 to 1, Exfle 3 to 1, Favor 3 to 1, Kaloolah 4 to 1, Grover Cleveland 8 to 1, Royal Arch 8 to 1, Fenelon 10 to 1.

Auction pools-Hanover 870, The Bard \$35, Oriflamme \$26, Saxony \$23, Volante \$17, field \$41.

Mutuals paid \$28 55.

Sir Dixon, Banburg, Dunboyne, Elkwool, Richmond, C. H. Todd, Rupert and Belvidere were withdrawn. The flag was given at the third break, Saxony, Hanover and Orillamme leading on nearly even terms, The Bard with the second division. Hanover and Saxony raced together down the stretch, each striving for the lead and the rail. Passing the stand Hanover had a neck the best of it. Saxony running second, a length before Favor. The Bard fourth under a strong pull. The others began to string out on the turn, and when the field swung into the backstretch there were only five horses in the raco-Hanover, Sireten there were only live horses in the face-manover, Saxony, Favor, The Bard and Fenelon. Hayward sat perfectly still on The Bard, heiding him well in hand, four lengths behind the leaders. Saxony had enough at the half and retired. Favor made his run as they reached the lower turn and showed in front for ten strides. Then he, too, beat a retreat to join the forlorn division. The Bard moved up in magnificent style and closing with Hanover, raced with him into the homestretch. The battle now lay between these two. Hanover up to this point had not caught a speck of mud; McLaughlin's new silk jacket was unspotted But The Bard and Hayward silk jacket was unspotted But The Bard and Hayward had travelled three-quarters in a terrific, blinding shower, had travelled three-quarters that the Hayward, on the outside, Nearing the head of the stretch Hayward, on the drew his mount as far in upon Hanover as he dared, forc-ing McLaughlin to hug the rail dangerously close to avoid outling down The Bard. As the two entered the stretch they were on even terms, coming home stride with stride. Hanover faitered, and McLaughlin drew his whip—the signal of distress and defeat. The gallant chestnut railed, but a greater than the champion of 1887 was there and the effort was of no avail. Before reaching the eighth post it was apparent to all that Hanover was eighth post it was apparent to all that Hanover was beaten. The Bard had him and held him safe, beating him to the finish by half a length. Hanover was three lengths before Exile. The others straggled in, sor m being beaten fifty yards. Kaloniah was a good last all the way, Fitzpatrick going clear of the mud storm.

all the way, Fitzpatrick going diese.

FIFTH RACE-PURSE \$750-TWO.YEAR-OLDS-SELIING. HALF MILE.

G. B. Morris's ch. f. America, by Spendthriff-Maid
of Athol, 107 B.

G. Walbaum's ch. c. Singlestone, 110 . (Littleneld 2
W. C. Daly's b. f. Little Barefoot, 105 . (Palmer) 3
F. Lordilard, jr.'s ch. c. by Mortemer-Wild Rose, 100
(Kane) 0 P. Lorillard, jr.'s ch. c. by Mortemor-Wild 1866 (Klane)
F. Erzinger's b. f. by Luke Blackburn-Vanilla, 97
(Lewis) Riverside Stable's b. f. Darling, 97 - . (Donne) Dwyer Brothers' ch. f. Victoria, 99 . . (Newmeyer)

Time-0:52 1-4.

Betting to win-Little Barefoot 9 to 5, America 3 to 1. Victoria 4 to 1. Singlestene 6 to 1, Wild Rose colt 8 to 1, Vanilla colt 8 to 1, Darling 10 to 1. Place—Barefoot 3 to 5, America 4 to 5, Victoria 7 to 5, Singlestone 2 to Wild Rose cois 3 to 1. Vanilia coit 3 to 1. Darging 3 to 1. Auction pools—Field \$25, Little Barefoot \$15. Mutusis peld \$24 05.

Little Barefoot was first off, Singlestone second, Ameries third. Singlestone led at the head of the stretch, but America easily outran him and won by three lengths, Singlestone the same distance before Little Barefoot. The Dwyers' Victoria was a wretched last, being unable SIXTH RACE-PURSE \$600-SELLING. ONE MILE. SIXTH RACE—PURSE \$4000—SELLING. ONE MII
Cotton & Boyle's br. m. Letritia, by Tom Gehiltree.
Letry, 5 yrs., 103 m.
A. J. Cassatt's br. g. Banner Beater, 5, 114 (Godfree,
W. C. Daly's ch. b. Lottery, 5, 107 (Palmer)
Excelsior Stable's br. Chambly, 3, 102 (Martin)
L. C. Behman's ch. g. Wheat, 3, 99 . . . (Oasler)

Time-1:47.

Betting to win-Letritia even, Lottery 3 to 1, Banner Bearer 5 to 1, Bronzomarte 5 to 1, Chambly 3 to 1, Wheat 12 to 1. Place-Letritia none, Lettery even, Banner Bearer 8 to 5, Bronzemarte 8 to 5, Chambly 3 to 1, Wheat 4 to 1.

on pools-Letritia \$25, Lottery \$16, Banner Bearer \$12, field \$15.

Muguals paid \$13.60.

Letritia led all the way, winning by a short head.

Godfrey attempted to draw too fine a finish. Had he timed his run a second sooner Banner Bearer could not #12. field #15.

have lost the race, for he was gaining fast on Letritia at every stride. Lettery was a poor third.

## THE ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY.

The great attraction of to-day will be the meeting of the best three-year-olds in the country-Raceland, Sir Dixon and Emperor of Norfolk-in the Carlton Stakes, one mile. Sir Dixon is now in fine form, and so is the Emperor, but Raceland had a flight of speed last year superior to that of either and I expect to see him beat them both at a mile to-day, with Sir Dixon second. But the three will make a most ex-

Eurus is a mud horse, and, as the track will still heavy, may win the first race, Sam Harper second. Second Race-Le Logos first; Specialty Second. Myrtle Stakes-Cyclops first; Choctaw second. Carlton Stakes-Raceland first; Sir Dixon second. Fifth Race-Goldfish first; Volunteer second. Sixth Race-Prospect first; Letrita second. Pollowing is the full list of probable starters:

FIRST RACE-PURSE. SIX FURLONGS. SECOND RACE-HANDICAP. 11-8 MILES. Age. W't. Name. 6 106 Klamath 8 100 Battery THIRD RACE-MYRTLE STAKES. SELLING. 11-16

Age. W't. Name. Age. W't.
5 112 Queen of Elizabeth 94
6 110 Golden Ree: 3 87
6 109 Raveller 4 82
5 104 Speedwell 3 77 FOURTH RACE-CARLTON STAKES. YEAR-OLDS. ONE MILE. Horse. Sire.
Emperor of Norfolk Norfolk Sir Dixon
Now or Never Stratfor
Raceland Billet FIFTH RACE-PURSE. TWO YEAR-OLDS. HALF-

Goldfish Volunteer Bob Turey SIXTH RACE-WELTER HANDICAP. SIX FUR-LONGS.

EGMONT CLOSE TO THE RECORD.

Louisville Ey., May 15.-These are the winners of to-First race-Purse, \$400, 1-2 mile. Annie Clair (93) first, Van Trimm (94) second, Zallahrene (95) third. Time

Second race-Purse, \$400; 8 furlongs. Egmont (115) first, Guardsman (106) second, Estrella (110) third. Time

Third race—Hurstbourne Stakes; two-yesr-old fillies; 5 furiongs. The Lioness (112) first, Dalsy Woodruff (107) second, Ban Haren (107) third. Time—1:03 3-4.

Fourth race—Purse, \$400: 7 furiongs. Long Roll (106) first, Winslow (115) second, Comedy (110) third. Time Fifth races-1 mile. Rol d'Or (95) first, Lafitte (99)

POOL BOOMS CLOSED IN DETROIT. Chicago, May 15.—A dispatch from Detroit, Mich., says: "All the poel rooms in this city and Gilman & Barnes's book-making rooms were closed by order of the

olice to-day. Gilman & Barnes lost \$17,000 on the Ken-

NEWMARKET SECOND SPRING MEETING. NEWMARKET SECOND SPRING MEETING.

London, May 15.—The Newmarket second spring meeting opened to-day. The race for the Payne Stakes for three-year-olds was won by the Duke of St. Albans's bay colt Galore. Leopold de Rothschild's chestnut colt Patchoull came in second, and J. A. Craven's bay colt Scene Shifter third. There were six starters. The betting was 3 to 1 on Galore, 14 to 1 against Patchoull, 20 to 1 against Scene Shifter. Galore won by three longths. There was only a neck between second and third.

The race for the Dyke Plate, for two-year-olds, was

between second and third.

The race for the Dyke Plate, for two-year-olds, was won by Lord Durham's chestnut filly Gulbeyaz, with E. Wardour's bay colt Present Alms second, and J. H. Houldsworth's chestnut filly Ixia third. The starters numbered seven. The betting was 10 to 1 against Gulbeyaz, 5 to 2 on Present Alms, and 10 to 1 against Ixia.

Gulbeyaz won by five lengths. Ixia was a bad third.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS. PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

ALBEMARLE—William L. Trenholm, Controller of the Currency. BRUNSWICK The Rev. J. H. Eccloston, of Baltimore. CLARENDON—The Marquis de Pinar del Baltimore. CLARENDON—The Marquis de Pinar del Balo, af cuba, and Chancellor Henry R. Pierson, of Albany. FIFTH AVENUE—Ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes and daughter, of Onlo; Senator D. M. Sabin, of Minnesota; President D. C. Gutnan, of Johns Hopkins University, and Attorney-General Orville D. Baker, of Maine. GILSEY-Secretary of State Frederick Cook, of Rochester, and Commodore J. H. Gillis, United States Navy. GRAND CENTRAL—The Rev. Dr. A. G. Haygood, of Decatur, Ga. NEW-YORK—D. Lynch Prinzie. United States Consul-General at Constantinople. PARK AVENUE—Ex-Governor Sidney Perbam, of Maine. VICTORIA—Senator A. H. Colquitt, of Georgia, and Gouzalos Gutierrez, of Mexico. WINDSOR—John B. Sherman, of Chicago.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. Brooklyn Jockey Club races, Gravesend, 2:15 p. m. Methodist General Conference, Metropolitan Opera

Stewart will case before Surrogate Ransom Park and Aqueduet Commissioners' meetings.
Board of Education election, 4 p. m.
Trial of Thomas B. Kerr before Judge Patterso...

mids Chanter of Delta Upsilon Fraternity musicale, No. 8 East Forty-seventh-st., 8:30 p. m. Amateur billiard tournament, Racquet Club, evening. Reception to Democratic delegates by Edward Cooper,

NEW-YORK CITY. There were 2,037 immigrants landed at Castle Garden

The annual spring games of the Columbia College Athletic Association will be held to-morrow afternoon at the Manhattan Athletic Club's grounds. The an nual Freshman-Sophomore games will be contested at the same time and place.

The coffee market showed a decided reaction yesterday, and prices declined about fifty points. market closed at about Saturday's closing figures; the day's tradings numbered 97,250 bags.

The Rev. Wesley Guard, of the Irish Wesleyan Conference and a delegate to the Methodist General Conference, will preach in the West Harlem Methodist Episcopal Church, Seventh-ave. and One-hundredand-twenty-ninth-st., this evening.

The Board of Pilot Commissioners yesterday, on a complaint made by the Health Board against Pilot Adler for neglecting regulations, suspended Adler for It also approved the bill to authorize thirty days. the Secretary of the Treasury to establish proper anchorage limits in New-York Harbor.

"Tribune."-See Major Asa Bird Gardiner, No. 31 Nassau-st., or at Garden City, L. I.

Concerning the absence from the city of Fire Marshal George H. Sheldon, George T. Cooke, who is an intimate friend of Mr. Sheldon, said last night that there was nothing strange about it, and stated that in a talk with him a week ago last Sunday he said that he was going to take a little rest and visit his mother in Troy, N. Y., and that he would be away a week or ten days. His friends are not at all alarmed about his absence.

Patrick Conlon, of One-hundred-and-forty-eighth-st. and Eighth-ave., a workman employed in Aqueduct Shaft No. 31, in getting out of the cage on Monday night fell to the bottom of the shaft, over sixty feet,

At the annual meeting of the Mercantile Library Association last evening the following directors were elected to fill vacancies for three years: Charles II. Patrick, Charles Wager Hull, A. Wetmore, jr., and Alphonse Christlieb.

BROOKLYN.

The Presbyterian Social Union of Brooklyn met at their roems on Monday evening. Dr. Chamberlain, the president, presided. The attendance was large. The subject for the evening was "The Duty of our Minpresident, presided. The attendance was large. The subject for the evening was "The Duty of our Ministers and Churches to Presbyterianism." Dr. T. L. Cuyler spoke on the obligations of ministers to Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly, and Dr. J. D. Wells discussed the duties of our churches to Presbyterianism. A brief general discussion followed. The terianism. A brief general discussion followed. The remainder of the evening was occupied in a social

The Park Commissioners yesterday made Dr. Storrs one of the Committee on Music in Prospect Park, and decided to begin the Saturday afternoon concerts on

The county received \$6,600 from the Bay State Shoe and Leather Company yesterday for the work of convicts in the Kings County Penitentiary during The Rev. Dr. John J. Raber, for twenty years

The Rev. Dr. John J. Racer, for twenty years pastor of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Leonawd of Port Maurice, at Hamburg-ave, and Jefferson-st., died on Sunday at the age of forty-three. He was a son of ex-Commissioner of Charittes John Raber, and was educated at St. John's College, Fordham, at St. Francis Xavier's College in New-York, and at Home.

NEWS FROM THE SCHURBS. NEW-JERSEY.

The fourteenth annual convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Newark (formerly Northern New-Jersey) began in Grace Chuch, Orange, yesterday, with about 100 of the clergy and laity present. Bishop Starkey, who presided, read an address, showing the growth in

property and membership.

Three hundred delegates attended the eighteenth annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of New-Jersey at Plainfield yesterday. Father McNulty, of Paterson, made a rousing speech approving the Local Option High-License bill recently passed by the New-Jersoy Republican Legislature. The speech was vociferously applauded.

JERSEY CITY.

The Board of Police Commissioners yesterday passed a resolution prohibiting the detail of any policeman to do duty without uniform except by resolution of the Board. This will prevent the chief and captains from detailing men to watch for violations of the Sun-John Naughton, of No. 27, Westervelt-st., a justice

of the peace, was arraigned before Police Justice Wanser yesterday, charged with larceny. He was accused by his brother Frank of breaking into his room and stealing \$180 from a trunk. The prisoner said he would not have done it if he had not been drunk. He had \$143 of the money left. Judge Wanser com-mitted him to the county jail to await the action of The investigation of the recent collision between a

Newark train and the Orange express near the western end of the Eric Rallway tunnel has resulted in the dismissal of John Brown, conductor, and T. A. Hector, flagman, of the Newark train. The responsibility for the collision is placed upon them because they failed

The encampment of the New-Jersey Sons of Veterans at Elizabeth, closed yesterday. The election for officers resulted as follows: Colonel, F. D. Marse, Elizabeth; lieutenant colonel, John Derron, Paterson; major, C. Einst, Bridgeton; division council, L. Berryman, A. P. Veach and H. Douglass; delegate-at-large, H. McDonald, of Newark; alternate, H. H. Moore, of Elizabeth. William Fackner, of No. 161 Warren-st., was ar-

rested yesterday by Detectives Dalton and Pearson en suspicion of arson. Some time ago Fackner married Mrs. Kate Sievers, a widow, who owned a rumshop at that number. The couple sold the place to James Taylor and took a chattel moregage for part of the purchase money. Business fell away and Fackner forcclosed the mortgage and took possession of the place On Wednesday night of last week a fire oc-

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curred in the barroom and it was found that a quantity of hay had been placed against the partition and set fire. The premises were heavily insured. Fackner denied the charge and was balled in \$500 to appear for examination to-day.

The Law and Order League have elected as preident, Thomas N. Carter; vice presidents, J. A. Bannister, C. C. Hine and J. C. McDonald; treasurer. John H. Hine; secretary, William E. Freer. An Advisory Committee consisting of fifty citizens has been selected.

O. H. Gilbert, living in State-st., whose house was robbed several months ago, was surprised on Monday night by finding most of the stolen property lying near the kitchen door. Thomas Byrne, now in custody, has confessed that he perpetrated the

The Grand Jury will come into court to-morro and probably make a presentment treating of the recent burgiaries and the condition of the Newark

Louis Danenhouer had a fight on Monday night in Bergman's Hotel with Bergman's wife, who refused to sell him more beer. The woman, as alleged, threw a glass of beer in Danenhouer's face and he threw a beer mug at her, fracturing her skull. Danenhouer is in jail to await the result of her injuries. Mrs. Bergman's husband is a politician and has been doorkeepe in the New-Jersey Assembly.

William Barbour, of the Barbour Flax-Spinning Com pany, lost in the street three Paterson street railway bonds of \$1,000 each, which he had just bought as a present for his wife. Mr. Barbour sailed for Europe on Saturday.

NEW-BRUNSWICK.

James P. Bodine, a bachelor of about forty years and a leading druggist here, was found dead in his bed yes-terday afternoon. The County Physician will make an investigation, though it is supposed Bodine felt ill and took an overdose of some kind of medicine.

Max Grimm and Joseph Schmidt, two well-dresses and decent-looking Germans, were instantly killed by the east-bound express train near here on Monday night.

The funeral of C. G. Scudder, at the Chapel of Rutgers College yesterday, was largely attended. Dr. Hart read the services, Dr. Gales and Dr. Cooper made addresses, and portions of the oration which Scudder had finished only an hour before his death were read. The College Glee Club sang hymns and the entire college with its trustees and faculty and the faculty and Board of Superintendents of the Seminary were present.

Willie Smith, of Remson-ave., was attacked by a vicious dog yesterday. The boy's companions tried to hit the animal in the head, and hit him instead. He will probably die.

PATERSON.

Gustave Kuhn, the organist of the Elm Street German Presbyterian Church, has been missing for the last ten days.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY. C. F. Maurice, of Sing Sing, age seventy-five years, yesterday celebrated his golden wedding at his house in Maurice-ave. His wife was Miss Cornella Joline, sister of Colonel C. O. Joline, Mr. Maurice was the organizer of the Sing Sing Banking Company, under the firm name of C. F. Maurice & Co. It afterward became the First National Bank of Sing Sing.

ALONG THE SOUND.

Postmaster Dunning, of South Norwalk, yesterday gave notice that the free mail delivery system would go into effect in that city July 1.

TWO SEIZURES BY CUSTOM OFFICERS. Inspectors Thomas Brown and F. J. Donohue, or Surveyor Beattle's staff, yesterday selzed a trunk which had been landed from the steamer Niagra from Havana and contained 106 boxes of fine Cubana cigars,

Miss Belle Laurence, a customs inspectress, found in the possession of Miss Hedwig Heule, a passenger by the steamship Suevia, three yards of silk plush, twenty yards of silk, and fourteen yards of lace, all of which were concealed in a comforter. The goods were seized.

> MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAQ

TO-BAT. Sun rises. 4:35 | Sets. 7:07 | Moon sets 11:55 | Moon's age. HIGH WATER A. M.—Sandy Hook. 10:58 | Gov. Ist'd 11:29 | Hell Gate. 0:38 P. M.—Sandy Hook. 11:03 | Gov. Ist'd. 11:37 | Hell Gate. 1:18 INCOMING STEAMERS.

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Niagara, Ward's, Havana		D III

SHIPPING NEWS, PORT OF NEW-YORK ........TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1888

ARRIVED.

Steamer Circaseia (Br), Campbell, Glasgew May 3, Moville 9, with moise and 550 passengers to Henderson Bres. Arrived at the Bar at 2.34 at mer. Steamer Vorwarts (Ger), Fortmann, Bremen 18 days, in Steamer Gorwarts (Ger), Fortmann, Bremen 18 days, in Steamer Odin (Nor). De Fine, Cludad-Bolivar May 3, St. Lucia 6, with moise to Thebaud Bros. Arrived at the Bar at 5 am.

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Steamer Edith Godden (Br), Bennett, Montego Bay and 2t Ann's Bay 6 days, with fruit to G Wessels & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 6.30 pm.

Steamer Niagara, Bennis, Havana 5 days, with mose and passengers to Jas E Ward & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 8.30 a m.

Steamer Brisio (Dtch), Horgemeroff, Baracoa 6 days, with fruit to Gomes & Pearsell. Arrived at the Bar at 2 a m.

Steamer City of Angusta, Catherine, Bavannan, 3 days, with mode and passengers to B L Walker.

Steamer Seneca, Walker, Newport News and Nortolk, with mode and passengers to Old Dominion Ss Co.

Steam Pacht Lancesshire Witch (Br), James, Charleston 4 days, te master.

Ship Fritz (Ger), Hashagen, Bremen 47 days, with coment and empty barrels to order; vessel to C W Bertaux.

Ship Fritz (Ger), Hashagen, Bremen 47 days, with mode to order; vessel to Hermann Koop & Co.

Bark Harvard, Norten, Manis 102 days, with sugar and hemp to order, vessel to Funch, Eyfe & Co.

Bark Grovanni (Hal), Laure, St Vinceat 16 days, with sugar to Middleton & Co. vessel to Master.

Bark Arcasina Br), Morrill, Port Spain 19 days, with sugar to Middleton & Co. vessel to Hunch, Eyfe & Co.

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Brig Davlight, Fester, Astigus 9 days, with sugar to L W & P Armstrong.

Brig Davlight, Foster, St Mare 14 days, via Previdence,

& P Armstrong.

Brig Medius (Br), Potter, St Marc 14 days, via Previdence, with honey to order: vessel to G A Brett, Sen & Co. SUNSET-At Sandy Rock, wind moderate, NW; cloudy. At City Island, wind light, NW; cloudy. Arrived yesterday -

Arrived yesterday—
Steamer Alexandria (Br.), Haynes, Genoa April 7, Spezzla
12, Leghorn 17, Palermo 21, Naples 25, Gibrattar May 1,
with sides and 825 passengers to Henderson Bros. Arrived
at the Bara at 19.30 pc.

Steamer Geo W Clyde, Holmes, San Demingo City May 1,
Macoris 3, Samman 5, Porto Plata 7, Cape Haytien 8, Turks
Island 9, with undee and 34 passengers to Wm P Clyde & Co.
Arrived at the Bara t. 8.30 pc.

Steamer Knickerbocker, Kemble, New-Orleans 5 days, with
make and passengers to 8 H Seaman.

Steamer El Dorado, Byrne, New-Orleans 5 days, with make and passengers to 8 H Seaman. CLEARED.

Steamer Buffalo (Br), Maset, London-Sanderson & Son. Steamer Celtic (Br), Irving, Liverpool vie Queenstown-Bruce Ismay, Steamer City of Boms (Br), Young, Liverpool via Queens-town-Headerson Erro. Steamer Italy (Br), Pearce, Liverpool - F W J Hurat. Steamer Exeter City (Br), Welss, Bristol - James Arkell & steamer Olympia (Br), Swain, Avonmouth-Henderson ros. amer Aller (Ger), Christoffers. Bremen via Southamp-Oeirichs & Co. Steamer Belgesland (Belg), Beynon, Antwerp-Peter Steamer Gaditano (Span), Goloschea, St John, NB-Chas P Suamer & Co. Steamer Maranham. Steamer Maranheuse (Br.), Tregarthen, Para, Pernambuco, &c. via Haitimore—Booth & Co. Steamer Brinio (Nor), Horgemeroff, Baracoa—Gomez & Steamer Brinio (Nor), Horgemeroff, Karacoa—Gomes & Pearsall.
Steamer Yemassee, Platt, Charleston and Fernandina—Wm P Clyde & Co.
Steamer Harrogate (Br), Surtees, Buil River, SC—Simpson, Spence & Young.

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Steamer Martha Stevens, Chance, Baltimore—B N Downer.

Steamer Glaucia, Coleman, Boston—H F Dimock.

Ship Argonaut (Er), Renner, Calcutta—J Bruce Ismay.

Ship Leading Wind, Hinckley, Hong Kong—M F Pickering

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liark Wakefield, Crowell, Hong Keng—Vernon H Brown Co. Brig Evviva (Br). Terris, Mayaguez-Miller, Bull & Co.

Steamers Wisconsin, for Liverpool: Clympia, Avosmonth; Minister Maybach, Bremsu G W Jones, Aspinwall; Victoria Harracoa, Nascoches, Savannah; Yemansec, Charleston, Rortoke, Newport News; Breakwater, West Point, Va, Also salied—via Long Island Sound—Steamer Glancas, for Boston. Bark Lynnwood, for Liverpool. Brig Moss Ross, far Para.

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FOREIGN PORTS.

LONDON, May 15-Arrived, steamer Bichmond Hill (Br).
Lyde, from New York,
QUEENSTOWN, May 18-Arrived, steamer Arabic (Br),
mith, from New Tork on her way to Liverpool (and promith, from New Tork on her way to Liverpool (and pro-

Smith, from New-York on her way to Liverpool (and proceeded).

MOVILLE, May 15—Arrived, steamer Anchoria (Br.), Drown,
from New-York on her way to Glasgow (and protected).

BROW HEAD, May 15—Passed, steamer Ohio, Sargeut, from
New-York on her way to Queenstown and Liverpool.

HAVER, May 15—Sailed, steamer Hammenia (Ger.), Hebich,
frem Hamburg heace for New-York.

GIBRALTAR, May 12—Passed, steamer Assyria (Br.), Spittal,
from Mediterranean ports on her way to New York.

EOMEAT, May 15—Arrived, steamer California (Br.), Garuie, from New-York.

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HE news has gone out that we have "the call" on Tennis Blazers this year. We ought, for our plans were laid a year ago when we gave Virgoe, Middleton & Co., of London, orders for confined styles and

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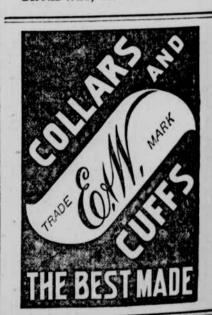
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